

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

PURCHASED WATER ADJUSTMENT)
FILING OF MADISON COUNTY) CASE NO.
UTILITES DISTRICT) 2015-00229

ORDER

On July 10, 2015, Madison County Utilities District (“Madison County”) submitted an application for approval to adjust its rates pursuant to the purchased water adjustment procedure.¹

The Commission, having reviewed the record and being sufficiently advised, finds that:

1. Madison County purchases water from Richmond Utilities (“Richmond”).
2. Richmond notified Madison County that, effective July 1, 2015, its volumetric wholesale rate to Madison County would increase from \$2.31626 per 100 cubic feet to \$2.35332 per 100 cubic feet.² Madison County proposes to increase the water rates to its customers effective July 1, 2015, reflecting the increased cost of purchased water.
3. During the 12 months ended April 30, 2015, Madison County purchased 90,916,100 cubic feet of water from Richmond. Madison County sold 74,867,938 cubic feet of water during the same 12 months. The increase in the cost of purchased water

¹ KRS 278.015; 807 KAR 5:068.

² TFS 2015-00320 (Ky. PSC filed May 15, 2015); The tariff was accepted for filing by the Commission by letter dated July 1, 2015.

is \$33,693.51, resulting in a purchased water adjustment factor of \$0.05 per 100 cubic feet.

4. The purchased water adjustment factor of \$0.05 per 100 cubic feet, as calculated in Appendix A to this Order, is fair, just, and reasonable and should be approved.

5. Madison County's proposed rates, as set forth in Appendix B to this Order, are fair, just, and reasonable and should be approved for service rendered on and after July 1, 2015.

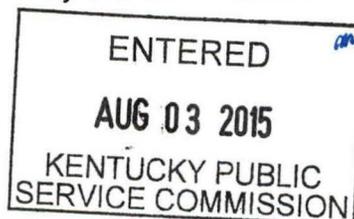
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The purchased water adjustment factor of \$0.05 per 100 cubic feet, as calculated in Appendix A to this Order, is approved.

2. Madison County's proposed rates, as set forth in Appendix B to this Order, are approved for service rendered on or after July 1, 2015.

3. Within 20 days of the date of this Order, Madison County shall file with the Commission, using the Commission's electronic Tariff Filing System, revised tariff sheets showing the rates approved herein.

By the Commission



ATTEST:


Executive Director

APPENDIX A

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE
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	New Rate	Base Rate
Richmond		
Purchases in cubic feet	90,916,100	90,916,100
Volumetric rate	<u>\$ 2.35332/100</u>	<u>\$ 2.31626/100</u>
	\$2,139,546.76	\$2,105,853.25
	Increased water cost	\$33,693.51
Increased water cost		\$33,693.51
Divided by cubic feet sold / 100		<u>74,867,938</u>
		0.0450
Purchased water adjustment factor		\$0.05 per 100 cubic feet

APPENDIX B

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE
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The following rates and charges are prescribed for the customers in the area served by Madison County Utilities District. All other rates and charges not specifically mentioned herein shall remain the same as those in effect under authority of the Commission prior to the effective date of this Order.

Monthly Water Rates

First	280 Cubic Feet	\$ 16.14 Minimum bill
Next	720 Cubic Feet	5.10 per 100 Cubic Feet
Next	3,000 Cubic Feet	4.88 per 100 Cubic Feet
Next	8,000 Cubic Feet	4.69 per 100 Cubic Feet
Next	88,000 Cubic Feet	4.50 per 100 Cubic Feet
All Over	100,000 Cubic Feet	4.19 per 100 Cubic Feet

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